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(Docket No. 97,022-F3)

In re Application of:

R. Terry Dunlay et al.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application:

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NOTICE OF APPEAL


Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last final decision of the Examiner. In particular, Applicant appeals claims 13-18 and 23-25 pending in the above-identified patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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